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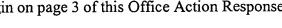
## **AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action with a mailing date of January 11, 2005, having a shortened statutory period for response that expires on April 11, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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Appendix: None

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